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VASILAS, KARRAS ELECTED TO COUNCIL

Vasilas-Secretary; Karras-Treasurer

Whoopee! Elections are over. Now P.U.C.C. has a Student Council to help plan student activities and set things in motion.

Candidates for office campaigned for approximately one and a half weeks with colorful posters, name tags, and bookmarks. The student lounge seemed to be decorated for a political party convention because most of the campaign posters appeared there. Posters were taped on the Pepsi, milk, candy, and cigarette machines, and were hung from pipes. Yes, it was a colorful campaign.

On October 16 and 17 the P.U.C.C. students exercised their right to vote for whomever they wished. At the poll, which was located in the Student Lounge, students placed their X's, checks, and even a few arrows, on the line next to their choice for secretary, treasurer, sophomore representatives, freshman representatives, Technical Institute representative, and parttime representative.

There were two candidates for secretary, Miss Donna Hudson and Miss Helen Vaslias. Miss Vaslias, who hails from Dyer, Indiana, is the Student Council's secretary; she won by 39 votes. There were also two candidates for the office of treasurer, Miss Virginia Chizmar TAGT WISS Faye Karras. Miss Karras, who resides in Hammond, will have the joy of running her fingers through the Student Council's money (ha! ha!); she finished the race victorious, winning by 66 votes.

There were only two sophomores running for sophomore represenattive, Joyce Nemeth and Drew Sweetman. They crossed the finish line in a dead tie.

The students competing for freshman representatives were Bruce Aldrin, Tom Blastick, Jim Bradford, Larry Kramer, Tom Surovek, and Jim Wozniak. Students were allowed to vote for only four candidates. Victorious was Tom Blastick, who is the freshman representative at large. The other representatives are Larry Kramer, Tom Surovek, and Jim Wozniak. Bruce Aldrin and Jim Bradford are the freshman alternates, respectively.

Because there was only one candidate for part-time representative and one candidate for Technical Institute representative, it is obvious who won in each case. Gaye Marlowe is the part-time representative, and Harry Trautman is the Technical Institute representative.

Much to the surprise of the vote counters, there were a few write-in votes for a certain person, for a specific office: who in the universe is Tiny and how can the Office of City limits be originated?

In all seriousness the BOILER-MAKER wishes to extend its congratulations to all those students who were victorious.

INSIDE NEWS OF PURDUE

Jim Kokenis got a flat tire during the Mixer.

Bunny is still single.

Mary Haburay is still hula-hooping.

Dave Hoffman still has pictures in the hypo.

Coach Hayes will be selling basketball tickets soon.

Walter Pehlen found a job.

"Punky" will have a birthday soon.

And Roger is, well, heh heh, Roger just is.

Cones to Spend Year In Africa

Dr. L. Winston Cone, Associate Professor of history and government at Purdue Calumet Center, accompanied by Mrs. Cone and three of their four children—Janice, Henrietta, and George—left Tuesday, August 26, for Accra, Ghana, on the West Coast of Africa. Dr. Cone will teach at the University College of Ghana in Accra for a year beginning this autumn. Mrs. Cone, who also teaches at the Calumet Center, will, like her husband, be taking a year's leave of absence from teaching duties here.

The Cones are taking a five-week tour of Europe before the fall term opens in October. They will spend two weeks in England and three in Belgium (at the Brussels Fair), Paris, Geneva, and Rome.

This is Professor Cone's third trip to this part of the world. He was stationed in West Africa for two years during World War II, and he later served with the 19th Weather Squadron Army Air Force in Egypt, Israel, and Iraq. In March, 1957, he flew to Ghana for a six-week stay, during which time Chana, formerly called the Gold Coast, became the first independent all-African nation in the British Commonwealth. Dr. Cone wrote a series of articles for the Hammond Times concerning his trip and the independence celebrations staged by Ghana.

The University College of Ghana is located at Achimota on the outskirts of Accra, the capital of Ghana. The University, under the tutelage of the University of London, has an enrollment of 700 students. By many authorities, this school of higher learning is considered the best on the West Coast of Africa.

The Cones came to Hammond in 1948 from Chicago and, formerly, from Champaign, where they taught history, government, and international relations to approximately 2,500 students. Before coming to Hammond, Professor Cone taught history at the University of Illinois and at the John Marshall Law School in Chicago. He received his doctor's degree from the University of Chicago, his master's from the University of Illinois, and

Purdue Center Makes Steady Progress

P.U.C.C. enrollment is on the upswing, for in the Fall of 1957, there were 1,007 men and 161 women enrolled in credit courses at P.U.C.C., and there were 1,404 men and 128 women enrolled in the Division of Technical Institute. This enrollment was more than that of any other extension of Purdue University

In 1956 there were more freshmen engineers from Lake County enrolled at P.U.C.C. than at the Lafayette Campus.

During the Summer Session of 1957, the enrollment went up about one-third over the previous years. The reason for this was the change in the engineering curriculum and more students' acceptance of the Summer Session.

The completion of the National Guard Armory provided additional space for enrollment and enabled P.U.C.C. to schedule a two-year program in physical education for men and women.

To date, P.U.C.C. has graduated 147 practical nurses, and these nurses have commendable reports from their employers.

Also, the extracurricular programs have been organized for more efficiency. We have received recognition for our paper — The Boilermaker for the Student Council, and for our athletic program.

his undergraduate degree from the University of Massachusetts, of which state he is a native.

Preparing for a year's trip to Africa on three months' notice is no easy task, says Mrs. Cone. To make matters even more hectic (but after all, very propitious for everybody concerned), the Cones' eldest daughter Leslie was married two days before the departure to Europe.

P.U.C.C. STUDENTS IN THE GRAND MARCH AT RECENT STUDENT MIXER



CARD PLAYING NOT A TABOO

STUDENTS TO MIX WITH FACULTY

A great deal of talk concerning the rule on card playing in the lounge exists among the students of P.U.C.C. A few students believe that the administration has placed a taboo on card games, but in reality there is a definite reason for the restriction.

The reason for the restriction on card playing is the lack of space in the lounge. The student lounge was originally built to accomodate a certain number of students and faculty. Presently, that number of students and faculty has been exceeded; consequently, room for eating lunches is limited. Therefore, we the students must provide the necessary space for those who are eating, by restricting our card playing to those hours before 11 a.m., and between 1:30 p.m. and 5 p.m.

It is generally known that many students enjoy playing bridge; therefore, Dr. W. A. Jones, Assistant Director, is very much in favor of forming a bridge club at P.U.C.C. This proposed bridge club may sponsor tournaments and may possibly offer free lessons in bridge to those students who are interested. A bridge club would greatly enhance our social program and create a more closely knit atmosphere of friendliness among the student body. Those of you who are interested in forming a bridge club should see Dr. W. A. Jones.

NURSING PROGRAM IN FULL SWING

Since 1954, the Purdue University Calumet Center has served as the starting point in the Practical Nurse Training Program of this area. It is at the Calumet Center that women from 17 to 55 years of age, who have met the entrance examinations, who have taken intelligence and aptitude tests, and who have been personally interviewed by the director of the school, Nurse Mary R. Maginsky, spend eight hours every day, five days a week, in classrooms throughout the building. They receive instructions in Personal and Community Health, Family Living, and Nursing Care.

The 13th class now in progress is a large one. There are 40 students in the Program, and they are not only from local communities, but also from Joliet, Illinois, Elkhart, Fort Wayne, Michigan City, and even Stanford. Connecticut. They will spend the first four months of the 12-month course at the Calumet Center attending classes. The remaining eight months are given to instruction and experience at the four local hospitals in this area. Each student will spend eight weeks at St. Margaret's in Hammond, St. Catherine's in East Chicago, and St. Mary's Mercy and Methodist in Gary.

After completing the course and graduating, the students are eligible to take the Indiana State Board licensing examinations. The passing of these examinations entitles the graduates to practice as licensed Practical Nurses. They may also use the initials L.P.N. after

ANNUAL STUDENT-FACULTY DANCE

The annual Student-Faculty dance will be held on Saturday, November 8, in the Student Lounge of the Calumet Center.

This will be the first decoration dance of the semester. It promises to be a really big affair, complete with refreshments and entertainment furnished by the Circle K Club, the sponsors of the dance. Circle K members will serve as hosts to the attending students and faculty members.

Worthy of special note is the method of presentation of the music itself. This cannot be disclosed yet, but it can be announced that this will be the first attempt with such a unique approach. There will be dancing music everyone will enjoy. So, plan to come and have a ball.

The hours of the dance will be from 8 till 12. Donations are 35c Stag, and 50c Drag. Remember, there will also be entertainment and refreshments. That's right, the date is November 8.

Self-Seekers?

We offer the following passage for perusal by our readers. It is taken from a report written for the Hazen Foundation by a professor of political science at the University of Pennsylvania. Robert M. Hutchins quotes it in his article "The Interchangeable Man" in this month's issue of Esquire. The editors of the Boilermaker encourage readers to comment on or reply to the professor's pessimism. The best of these replies will be printed next month.

"The values of American college students are remarkably homogenous considering the variety of their social, economic, ethnic, racial, and religious backgrounds, and the rel-atively unrestricted opportunities they have had for freedom of thought and personal development. A dominant characteristic of students in the current generation is that they are gloriously contented both in regard to their present dayto-day activity and their outlook The grea ity of students appear unbashedly self-centered. They aspire for material gratifications for themselves and their families. They intend tolook out for themselves first and expect others to do likewise. But this is not the individualistic self-centeredness of the pioneer. American students fully accept the conventions of the contemporary business society as the context within which they will realize their personal desires. They carefully expect to conform to the economic status quo and to receive ample rewards for dutiful and productive effort. They anticipate no diehard struggle for survival of the fittest as each seeks to gratify his own desires but rather an abundance for all as each one teams up with his fellow self-seekers in appointed places on the American assembly line.'

their names, as long as their licenses are kept in good standing.

Practical nurses are in demand at hospitals, private homes, and nursing homes, and no doubt the medical profession has found them as useful in curing illnesses as the new antibiotics and myacins being discovered every day.

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STUDENTS LACK INITIATIVE

Last week an election took place. Maybe it wasn't the most important election in the world, but nevertheless, it had importance here at the Calumet Center. It was in this election that officers of the Student Council were selected for the coming year.

It was an achievement to stage anything that even slightly resembled an election. But out of over three thousand students enrolled here, only some three hundred students voted. That is not even 10% of the entire student body. Our representative form of government is hardly representative at all. The only thing it represents is the willingness of a mere handful of students to support student activities.

Supporting student activities means more than just gracing the Calumet Center with your presence. It means taking an active part in helping plan the activities here. It even includes voting. Because when you vote, YOU are taking an active interest in activities and you are helping to formulate a plan by electing those students who are capable of doing a really good job.

This semester started out well. We had good attendance even for the first mixer. The following week, there was a very good turnout for the record dance. Just when things were beginning to look good, we had to spoil everything by shirking an election. When the chips were down, and the students were given the opportunity to participate and to be an active part of Purdue, they developed cold feet.

Ignoring your chance to vote wasn't so bad after all. It was only a slap in the face to those candidates who were running for office. Not voting was like saying, "I don't care if you become elected or not. It means nothing to me." But even worse than the lack of votes cast, was the lack of candidates themselves. This was disgustnig.

/The Freshmen put up the best show during the elections. They should be congratulated for their efforts. It was the Freshman group that had the only candidates for Secretary and Treasurer. They also ran six men for Representative, only four of whom could be elected. However, there should have been at least a dozen candidates for these offices. The six that were running campaigned very well and deserve congratulations for their very fine efforts.

The Sophomores should also have elected four Representatives. But alas, only two were running for that office. They had no candidates for either Secretary or Treasurer. The T-I group was almost as bad as everyone else, but not quite.

The obvious conclusion one draws from this election is one of indifference on the part of the students as a whole. When an activity is planned for the students, as the first two record dances were, it will be a success. But when an activity has to be planned by, and not for, the students, it is a failure. There is a reason for this, too. It's simply that the students don't have any initiative of their own.

It's initiative that distinguishes a college student, especially a Purdue student from everyone else. But here at the Calumet Center we just don't have it. And before anyone cries, "But I had to work!" I want to inform those of you who don't know, that over 85% of the students attending the Calumet Center work at outside jobs besides attending classes. Those students who take a part in student activities are in this large percentage that work and study both.

Looking around the parking lot, one sees hundreds of cars bearing big, gold decals that tell the world the driver is a student at Purdue. I'll bet it looks nice to those unacquainted with the apathy of the students here to see all these fired-up youths glowing behind the wheel of their stickerladen cars, playing big wheel. In fact, these guys probably are big-wheels -when they drive up to their old high school. As far as Purdue is concerned the "big wheels" turn into big, flat tires around here.

To prove to yourself that this editorial is bunk and untrue, offer to help the Student Council or Circle K with their next dance. Better yet, show up at the hayride next Saturday, the 25th. Bring a date and be jovial just for one night; see if you don't have fun. I dare you! Write an article for the Boilermaker. See Coach Hayes about trying out for the basketball

To give you a chance to prove me wrong, I'll say that there will be no additional participation from the students. I'd like to find myself proved wrong, but I won't. If you wish a reason for this, it's ismply that you students don't have the backbone, and/or gumption, and/or initiative necessary to join in and help out in an activity. After all, you wouldn't want to learn what a good time you can have, besides getting to know your fellow students better, would you?

The saddest part about this whole mess is that there won't be even a handful of students interested in proving that they are not as immature as they have shown themselves to be in the past.

Now, if there is anyone still reading this editorial who hasn't been even slightly riled up, forget about participating in our activities; you're not worth any effort anyone could give you.

MR. CLAYTON **SUCCUMBS**

Mr. John L. Clayton, aged 56, late husband of Mrs. Dorothy Clayton, Nursing Art Instructor at P.U.C.C. for the past three years, passed away on July 22, 1958.

Mr. Clayton, who had been seriously ill for the past three years, passed away in the Veterans Research Hospital in Chicago.

Mr. Clayton had been active in the Marine Corps, in one form or another, for the greater part of his life. He enlisted in the Marine Corps in 1920 and served six years in such places as Haiti, Cuba, the Dominican Republic, and the U.S.A. He was active in the Reserves from 1926 to 1942. He re-entered active duty in 1942 and for four years was Motor Transportation Maintenance Officer with the 4th Division in the Pacific. Among the battles he took part in were the Marshall Islands. Saipan, Iwo Jima, and Tinian. Mr. Clayton had the Purple Heart and had received two Presidential Unit Citations.

Mr. Clayton was active in the Marine Corp Reserves till the time of his death. At the time of his death, he was a Major in the Reserves.

He was a millwright and carpenter and had worked on construction jobs all over the Calumet Region. He was an active member of the Hyde Park Methodist Church, a Mason, and Past Commandant-Department of Indiana Marine Corps League.

He is survived by his wife Dorothy, a daughter Mary, who is a senior at Hammond High School, and by four sisters and two broth-

THE QUESTION FOR TODAY IS..

What do you think about the parking situation here at P.U.C.C.? Also, what do you think can be done about the present situation?

I think there should be no priority over students by Inland Steel. I also think that students should have first

Curtis Woods

Students should park properly within the lines provided. A warning should be given to the students; then if the students continue to park improperly they should be fined. Tony DeBie

Inland Steel should use their own

parking lot or build a new one. **Howard Maury**

I don't think that walking the length of the twenty-four spaces, reserved for Inland Steel, will hurt anyone. But I do think that if Inland Steel could do it, which they did, someone else might do the Then the students same thing. would really have something to worry about.

Max M. Krontz

Purdue Personalities



DONNA HUDSON

Donna comes from nearby Hessville. She was born in Hammond, but attended school in Arizona, and returned to the Calumet Area this past year, where she was graduated from Hammond Morton. Welcome home, Donna!

Donna is majoring in Home Economics here at the Calumet Center. Her interests cover quite a lot of territory and include student activities, studying, and relaxation.

As you can see from the above picture, she is really a cute girl. She is talented also. Her greatest enjoyment comes from baking cookies, Christmas Cookies, to be exact. Yes, every day is Christmas at the Hudson's. Besides cooking, she also enjoys eating good foods, such as various types of salads, and meats.

This year, Donna plans to keep busy by writing interesting articles for the Boilermaker and by participating in other student activities here at the Center. Being a full time student, her schedule proves to be a complicated one.

We hope you enjoy Purdue, Donna, and that you'll return next year.

I think it's extremely unfair that Inland Steel should get part of the student parking lot. They have their own parking lot at the west side of the building-where students cannot park. They should not be given the choice spots in the student lot. Perhaps they should build another lot on the north side of the building.

Karen Rose I think that the men from Inland Steel should try walking from the far end of the parking lot and see what it feels like. Maybe then they will understand why we feel the way

Frederick Armenth Maybe we're getting too old to walk. A little exercise isn't healthy any more?

Your Linotype Operator



RICHARD BALTRUS

Our male personality of the month comes from East Chicago, where he has lived all his life. He is a product of Bishop Noll High, from which he was graduated in 1956.

Rich, or rather Stretch, as he is better known, is a very active student here at the Calumet Center. He is studying chemical engineering here, and next year he plans to enroll on the West Lafayette campus. Last year Rich was the business manager for the Boilermaker and was a Board of Directors member of Circle K. He also received the top award for service to the Boilermaker last year.

Some of Rich's many interests are listening to records, of which he has many of the listening and dancing type; relaxing to weird sounds taped on his Hi-Fi tape recorder; and going to a good movie.

His two loves are his blue Chevie and girls-he won't say which comes first, though. He enjoys eating pizza and many other Italian foods. In his spare time this year, he will be busy as Treasurer of Circle K and assistant editor of the Boilermaker.

He has a busy schedule during the coming year, and we certainly wish him the best of luck in his under-

COME ONE AND ALL, PANCAKES FOR BREAKFAST

The big day is drawing near. Sun day morning, November 16, from 7:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m., you are invited to attend the best tastingest pancake breakfast ever.

The menu includes those special pancaes, with plenty of good ol' home-style syrup, lots of plump, juicy sausages, and a big supply of

donuts, milk, and coffee. But wait, the best is yet to come. The entire breakfast is an "all you can eat" type affair. The balance of the good news is that the admission is only \$1.00, or 60c if you're a child under 12.

For tickets see any Circle K mem-

ber, or stop by in Room 5. The breakfast is sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of Hammond and will be held at the Hammond Civic Center, 5825 Sohl Street. The Circle K Club, sponosred here at Purdue by the Kiwanis Club, is helping in the sale of tickets and in the breakfast itself. All proceeds of the breakfast go to the Underprivileged Children and Boys and Girls Committee Work.

IN APPRECIATION

A recent note received from Mrs. Millard Gyte, wife of the late Mr. Millard Gyte, was addressed to the students of Purdue Calumet Center, and we would like to convey that message to you:

"Your kindness and sympathy at this time are more deeply appreciated than any word of thanks can ever express."

Room 30 houses the office of Dr. Walter Hartmann, Guidance Counselor. He will be happy to help students with individual problems in guidance or testing.

If your problem concerns student affairs, the person to see is Dr. William A. Jones, the Assistant Director. He can be found in Room 31 and will also help with problems that involve the individual student.



SORRY I'M LATE. I MISSED THE BUS FROM THE PARKING LOT.

Guidance Available To Center Students

Do you have a problem-academic, social or personal—that you can't quite solve by yourself? Then look no further, for there is sufficient guidance right here at Purdue Calumet Center.

Mr. Marshall M. Tackett, the Registrar, can be found in the main office, and he will be glad to help with problems that concern schedules, classes, and other matters pertaining to the school cur-

Matters concerning the administration should be taken up with Mr. Richard J. Combs, the chairman of the Administrative Committee. Mr. Combs may be found in the main of-



PERSONALITIES IN SPORTS 1

This month we proudly salute our new assistant coach, Leo Bereolos. Mr. Bereolos is a life-time resident of Hammond and a graduate of Hammond High School. He is 48 years old and has a son who is mar-

Mr. Bereolos is presently a substitute teacher in the Hammond School system. He is also a very active member in the adult Booster Club of his Alma Mater, Hammond

Mr. Bereolos played football while at Indiana U. and was on the 1932 varsity squad. While teaching full time in Hammond, he also coached basketball and freshman football at Hammond High. He was intramural director, too. During the war he coached independent and professional basketball.

From the

LOCKER ROOM

I should like to welcome Mr. Leo Bereolos to the coaching staff here at the Center. I know that he will find his job very interesting. After looking over his background, I know that he will definitely be an asset to our coaching department along with Coach Hayes.

After talking to Coach Bereolos and Coach Hayes, I find that we are lacking in height a little for our forthcoming basketball team. We have several promising players and it looks like it might develop into quite an interesting season. It is a little early to make any predic-

Well, once again the New York Yankees are the world champions of baseball. After coming in from behind the Braves, they finally wrapped up the last two games. Were Mr. Stengel and his boys too tough for the Braves, or was it just luck?

I understand that there is a club of some sort for all the sportsminded people here at the Center. It is supposed to be called The

T. I. ALUMNI **FALL MEETING**

The Technical Institute Alumni Association will have its first meeting this year on November 10 at Zarante's Restaurant in Calumet City. The speaker for the evening will be assistant director Paul Meier of the Calumet Center, who has just recently returned from Pakistan. We should like to extend an invitation to all recent graduates to come out and get acquainted with your T.I. alumni.

What Me Worry Club and it meets in the lounge by the T.V. How can I join along with the rest of the sports personnel? Let me hear more about this.

I noticed the other day that there was card playing in the lounge. I noticed a lot of our leading sports personnel were indulging too. Fellas, can't you find a better way to pass the time other than by playing cards? They just don't like that sort of thing around here.

The Milwaukee Braves have given Manager Fred Haney a new contract with a \$5,000 increase. This makes his salary an estimated \$40,000 a year. Birdie Tebbets has also joined the Braves as executive

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Casey Stengel has also, supposedly, signed with the Yankees for another two years. I didn't find out the salary involved, but I can imagine.

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RAY TUCKER

Dr. Ray Tucker is the new Assistant Professor of Public Speech here at P.U.C.C. He is married and has two girls, one aged 2 years and the other aged 2 months. (Our belated congratulations). He owns his own home, which is in Hobart.

He obtained his B.S. from Denver University, his Master's Degree from Northwestern University in 1956. From 1952-1955, he was an instructor of public speech at Northwestern (while he was working on his Master's and Ph.D. degrees. From September, 1955 to September 1957, he was the Assistant Director of Training at the Gary Works of U. S. Steel. Last year he was in business for himself.

His wife, Bessie, is a graduate of the University of Denver (where he met her). She majored in English and is a former elementary school

Dr. Tucker is quite sports minded. He very much enjoys attending football and basketball games. On a participating basis, he likes to fish and go hunting. He enjoys meeting people and speaking with them. He said as far as TV goes, he watches it very little due to time consideration.

Two things which Dr. Tucker wants to do are to do the best job that he can in teaching speech and to do research in speech. One of the current problems he is working on is to find out how students react to criticism of speeches in the classroom (students, take note!)

Dr. Tucker was, during his "school" days, a managing editor of his school paper and editor of the school annual. In June, 1958, an article appeared in Coronet which told much of the experience a bus load of college students had in Monarch Pass, Colorado. It told of the harrowing experience they had in going down the Pass after the brakes failed. Dr. Tucker was on that bus. Maybe the Boilermaker can reprint his own personal experience article. At the time of the experience, he was editor of his school paper.

Among the many things Dr. Tucker has done, we should mention that he was an Educational Consultant for Time Magazine and a speech consultant for NBC-TV.

PATRICK FAULKNER

Mr. Faulkner was graduated from Indiana University in 1951 with a B.S. degree. From 1951 to September 1958 he worked at Inland Steel in the Tin Mills and attended the University of Chicago. At the present time he teaches here at P.U.C.C. and attends the University of Chicago, where he is working on his Ph.D. in history.

Mr. Faulkner was born in Canada and came to the United States when he was six years old. Since then he has lived in the Calumet Region except for a stint in the Army -in Texas, France, and Germanyand the time he spent on the campus of I. U.

He is married and has three children: a boy, 5, and two girls-4 years and 4 months. His wife, Irmgard, has a B.S. in psychology from Indiana.

He believes it is a privilege to teach because of the personal satisfaction he obtains from it, the challenge teaching offers, and because as he studies more, he feels better qualified to teach since he has more knowledge to share with his students. Welcome to P.U.C.C.,

We hope that we (the students) won't disappoint you.

MR. AUGUSTUS DHAR

Mr. Dhar is a native of India. He did part of his undergraduate work in India and England. Part of his graduate work was done in India, but the largest part has been done in the United State. In India, he received his Master's Degree in physics and his LL.B. Degree. He received his M.A. in mathematics from Vanderbilt University, and did graduate work at the University of Illinois. At the present time, in addition to teaching here at P.U. C.C., he is doing work on his Ph.D. in physics at the University of Chicago and Illinois Institute of Technology. His purpose in doing graduate work at the University of Chicago and I.I.T. is to obtain a solid footing in the practical aspects as well as a solid footing in the theoretical aspects in physics. (We students think school is roughwhoopee!)

The past two years he was an instructor in mathematics and physics at Valparaiso U. in the schools of mathematics and physics. He was head of the Department of Mathematics at Illinois Wesleyan University in Bloomington, Illinois, in 1955 and 1956. He says his reason for leaving Valpo U. was that he thought he would be closer to opportunities here in the Calumet region than he was at Valpo. He says he likes P.U.C.C. because he feels it is "vital"; that is, it is full of life, not complacent.

He likes very much to meet people and would be willing to take the first step to meet and make a friend. He is very much interested in international situations and cultures and likes to discuss them with the idea of furthering an under-standing of different cultures. He says that one of the crying needs of today's world is for each one to make a serious attempt at understanding different peoples and cultures. He says it definitely is not a one-way process.

One of the things he would like to see here at P.U.C.C. is the cultural advancement of the Center, with the idea of generating more original thoughts and ideas on the part of students and faculty. He believes the potential is here at P.U.C.C. We're glad to have you on deck, Mr. Dhar. Try not to make it too rough on us "poor" students. (We're only joking.)

Mr. Mangus received his B.A. degree from Transylvania College in Lexington, Kentucky in 1940, his M. S. degree from Purdue University in 1952, and interrupted his work on his Ph.D. to come here and

His home town is Union City, Indiana, and he has lived for the past 10 years in Delphi, Indiana. This is his first experience with the Calumet region. He is married, and has two children—a boy, 15, a student at Hammond High School, and a boy, 12, who is a student in Munster Junior , High School. His wife tecahes third grade in Harding School. He and his family live in

He and his family like it here in the Calumet area because of the things one can do which are not possible in a small downstate town. He also says that one's personal opportunities here in the Calumet are tremendous. He likes P.U.C.C. because it's alive and because of its close association with industry.

and outlooks on life.

He likes to teach and thinks it is a very important job. As a teacher in a college, one is recognized as an adult and can control his time better, whereas in industry, one is somewhat restricted in the degree to which he can control his time. He says there is a good measure of satisfaction in being able to control one's time.

He thinks students should avail themselves of student activities as a step toward moving into a wider circle of contacts in the world. In grade school and high school, one's circle is quite small and restrcited. As one progresses through college, one's circle should broaden. He says it is necessary for one's personal advancement and for the broadening of one's perspectives

LOWELL GIBSON

Dr. Gibson was born in Westmont, Illinois, which is near Downers Grove-Hinsdale. He attended La Grange Jr. College prior to attending the University of Illinois, where he obtained his B.S. in Chemical Engineering. He obtained his Ph.D. from the University of Wisconsin in Chemical Engineering.

He has worked very extensively in petroleum and plastics all over the country, but primarily in the Calumet Region and in the East.

He has a very favorable impression of the students and of the Center. He believes that students have a far better opportunity to learn at a small school than at a large school. He thinks that the experience of attending an extension is a great experience as a prelude to attending the main campus. The

personal satisfaction that he gets: 'It is one of the most enjoyable jobs you can have." Teaching is very interesting and offers constant challenges because

period of adjustment is much short-

When asked the question "Why teach?" he said he teaches for the

er and is easier to make.

a teacher has new students each year and each student is a different person-a different challenge. Teaching definitely is not boring or humdrum unless the teacher so makes it.

He said he would advise the studenst to take advantage of tours through industries when they become available. A tour is a very good introduction to the type work that one will be doing when one finishes his school work.

Dr. Gibson is married and has two girls and a boy. He lives in Dyer, Indiana. He likes to meet students and likes to talk things over with students. He said if he can be of any help to a student, the student should not hesitate to come

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